(iv) National Shooting Coaching Camp (Trap)	18th May—30th May' 96
(v) National Shooting Coaching Camp (Pistol)	21st—29th May, 96
(vi) National Coaching Camp (Trap)	19th July—31st July, 96
(vii) Shooting Coaching Camp by Karnataka State	31st July—4th Aug' 96
(viii) Assessment Coaching Camp for National Squad Shooterts	6th—8th Sep, 1996
(ix) National Coaching Camp (Trap)	27th Oct—22nd Nov' 96
(x) National Coaching Camp (Trap & Skeet)	18th Dec' 96—1st March, 1997
(xi) Coaching Camp in Rifle/ Pistol	28th Feb—8th March' 97
(b) Talkatora Swimming Pool	
1992-93	NIL
1993-94	NIL
1994-95	
(i) National Swimming Coaching Camp	9th May—15th June' 94
(ii) Coaching camp for Delhi State	31st May—25th June' 94
(iii) KVS Coaching Camp	16th Sep.—15th Oct' 94
1995-96	
(i) National Swimming Coaching Camp	10th march—10 April, 1996
1996-97	
(i) KVS Coaching Camp	20th May—8th June' 96 9th Sep—12th Sep' 96 6th—25th May, 1997

केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों में विवेकाधीन कोटा

382. **श्री गोविन्दराम मिरी:** क्या मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या उनका ध्यान 17 अप्रैल, 1997 के हिन्दी दैनिक "जनसत्ता" में "केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों में विवेकाधीन कोटे से दाखिले की अपील खारिज" शीर्षक से प्रकाशित समाचार की ओर दिलाया गया है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(ग) सरकार की इस पर क्या प्रतिक्रिया है?

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय में शिक्षा विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री मुही राम सैकिया): (क) जी, हां।

(ख) केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन कर्मचारियों के एक संघ द्वारा दायर की गई एक रिट याचिका पर निर्णय लम्बित होने के कारण दिल्ली के माननीय उच्च न्यायालय

ने केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन के, दाखिले के लिए विशेष प्रबंध करने के निवेदन को अस्वीकार कर दिया था।

भारत सरकार के सभी मंत्रालयों/विभागों में मंत्रियों द्वारा उपयोग किये जा रहे विवेकाधीन कोटे को समाप्त करने के सरकार के आदेशों को ध्यान में रखते हुए रिट याचिका का उसके निष्फल रूप में निपटान किया गया।

(ग) सरकार माननीय न्यायालय के निदेशों का पालन कर रही है।

News-item on School Quota

383. SHRI GOVINDRAM MIRI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether his attention has been drawn towards a news-item, captioned "Bid to flout High Court order on school quota" which appeared in the Economic Times (New Delhi) dated the 14th May, 1997; and

(b) if so, Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINSITER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA): (a) yes, Sir.

(b) The Government has not flouted any orders of the Court.

Bungling in the name of Women and Child Welfare

384. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 2550 given in the Rajya Sabha on 25th August, 1995 and state:

(a) whether the enquiry has since been held and report submitted;

(b) if so, the outcome of the enquiry; and

(c) the action taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. R. BOMMAI): (a) The matter was enquired in consusltation with the Minsitry of Non-Conventional Energy Sources, Delhi Government, CSWB, Rashtriya Mahila Kosh etc. The comments from All India Women's Confernece on the alleged irregularities were also examined.

(b) No allegation could be sub-stantiated from the information received from the different Departments/Ministries dealing with Women and Child Development Programmes.

(c) Does not arise.

Private participation in National Culture Fund

385. SHRI SANJAY DALMIA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item captioned "National Culture Fund will boost private participation" which appeared in the Times of India dated March 30, 1997;

(b) whether Government have allowed the private sector participation in the cultural sector;

(c) if so, the aims and objectives alongwith the amount earmarked in this regard;

(d) the impact of participation of private sector on the cultural aspects; and

(e) the steps taken to check the dilution of the Indian culture by privatisation?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S. R. BOMMAI): (a) The Government of India have set up a National Culture Fund (NCF) in terms of a Notification published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary dated 28.11.96. Copies of the Notification are already available in the Parliament Library.